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RL	1,772,027	08/05/1930	Baumgarten			
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RL	2,031,996	02/25/1936	Zelesnick			
RL	2,398,671	04/16/1946	Saffir			
RL	2,585,857	02/12/1952	Schwartz			
RL	2,842,845	07/15/1958	Carlson			
RL	3,453,736	07/08/1969	Waltke			
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RL	3,934,348	01/27/1976	Janjic			
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RL	3,969,820	07/20/1976	Kulig et al.			
RL	4,021,916	05/10/1977	Spalten			
RL	4,022,419	05/10/1977	Haker			
RL	4,116,416	09/26/1978	Segura			
RL	4,122,606	10/31/1978	Roman			
RL	4,127,939	12/05/1978	Samuel et al.			
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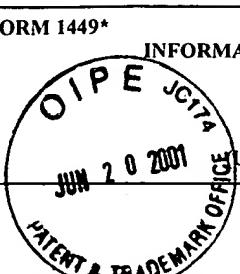
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RL	4,980,124	12/25/1990	Dimmer		
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RL	5,076,789	12/31/1991	Tanaka		
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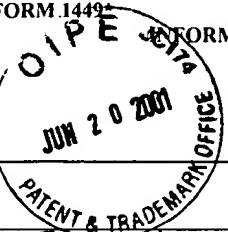
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